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Discussion: Should individuals who made low scores on the orientation tests be informed regarding the scores before they enroll.
RECOMMENDATION: (See below.)
Discussion: Master of Science in Music Education Degree
RECOMMENDATION: That the graduate program as presented on the attached page be approved.

Minutes of the meeting of the Faculty Senate, Tuesday, July 16, 1957, in the Dean's Office at 3:30 p.m.

Members present: Mr. Dalton, Mr. Brooks, Dr. Garwood, Dr. Moss, Dr. Ray, Mr. Rematore, Dr. Tomanek, Dr. McCartney, Chairman.

Members absent: Dr. Coder, Dr. Adey, Dr. Kuhn, Dr. Nutt.

Others present: Miss Schleich, Miss Stouffer.

The chairman called the meeting to order for the transaction of business. The first item to be given consideration is that of informing those individuals who made low scores on the orientation tests.

Should individuals making low scores on the orientation tests be informed regarding the tests before they come to enroll for the fall semester.

The question regarding the advisability of informing those individuals about their low scores on the orientation tests before they come to the campus to enroll was discussed again. This question was discussed at the May 22 meeting of the Senate. Miss Stouffer, Chairman of the Student Personnel Committee, asked to meet with the Senate when they discussed this problem. Dr. Ray and Mr. Dalton, Senate members, are also members of the Student Personnel Committee. Since the last meeting of the Faculty Senate the Student Personnel Committee has studied this problem and presented a plan to be considered for next year. This plan will be discussed at a later meeting of the Senate.

For the coming school year, 1957-58, the individuals who made low scores on the orientation tests have not been advised about their records. At the May 22 meeting of the Faculty Senate, a letter was presented to the members and it was proposed that such a letter be sent to those making low scores. The Senate members discussed the value of such a letter and the type of letter to be sent.

RECOMMENDATION: It was recommended that a letter be prepared and sent to those making low orientation scores. This letter should not give the information regarding the score but rather invite these individuals and their parents to the campus to discuss the test results. Then if they come, they could be given the information regarding their scores. To those who do not respond to this letter before the middle of August a letter should be sent giving more information regarding the results of their tests. Seconded and carried.

Mr. Brooks and Dr. Garwood were asked to prepare the letter.

Master of Science in Music Education Degree:

For some time the Music Department has been studying the needs as applied to their graduate program. Miss Schleich, who is chairman of the

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the committee to study this problem, presented their plan which is a long range program to be used as the need arises. This program is designed for those who teach and is not intended for the performer. The attached page gives the details of the program. This program was discussed. Item 4 in "Research Area" was discussed at length as to what constitutes research and a documented report. It was asked if a recital would be sufficient.

RECOMMENDATION: It was recommended that the graduate program as presented on the attached page be approved. Seconded and carried.

New and revised courses to implement the graduate program will be presented to the Faculty Senate at a later meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 4:55 p.m.

E. R. McCartney, Dean

S. V. Dalton, Secretary.